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Delta Waterfowl Youth Day

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Davis County-

September 10th was a day for youth to come out and learn about waterfowl hunting at Farmington Bay Waterfowl Management Area. The event was hosted by Delta Waterfowl. Kids were able to watch retriever demonstrations, see decoys, go on mud boat and airboat rides, and eat pizza. At the end of the event, a drawing was held where shotguns and other prizes were given out to the lucky future-hunters. All of this was free!

Conservation Officers were in attendance to meet with the kids and also provided a small shooting range. Before the raffle drawing, Captain Rick Olson spoke with the kids about gun safety.

The Youth Waterfowl Hunt is September 17, 2011 with shooting hours beginning at 6:40 AM and end 7:33 PM. You must be 15 years old or younger, have a hunting, combination, or 3 day nonresident small game license, and a HIP number.

The bag limits for Youth Hunting Day are as follows:

Ducks and mergansers: 7 birds (except no more than 1 canvasback, no more than 2 hen mallards, no more than 2 pintails, no more than 2 redheads and no more than 3 scaup).

Coots: 25 birds

Light geese (snow, blue and Ross): Closed for youth hunt Dark geese (cackling, Canada, white-fronted and brant): 3 birds Common snipe and swan: Closed for youth hunt

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Officer Bubak and Sgt. Fullenkamp watch as two kids take aim at their targets.



Utah's youth waterfowl hunt is a perfect opportunity to get kids into the field when the weather is moderate and the ducks are plentiful.